

TELEGRAPHIC.

Special Dispatches to the Arizona Miner, By Western Union and U. S. Military Lines.

St. Louis, Dec. 19.—Wednesday last, a farmer living near Cambridge, Mo., while returning home from selling hogs, was attacked by five men, killed and robbed of \$300. A gentleman coming along shortly afterwards, found the dead body and overheard the murderers dividing the money. Quietly gathering a few neighbors, they surrounded and captured three of the gang and hanged them to a tree. Men are in pursuit of the other two.

New York, Dec. 18.—Wright & Tillinghast, dry goods and commission merchants, notified their creditors, today, of their inability to meet maturing obligations. Their suspension was brought about by the loss of credit caused by the failure of A. M. Sprague, the latter firm being special partners in the firm of Wright & Tillinghast.

Elizabeth, N. J., Dec. 19.—Herman, who married Lucy Schleman in Hamburg, brought her to this country and tried to murder her, was convicted, at Rancocas, of an assault, and sentenced to ten years in the State prison and fined \$5,000.

Chicago, Dec. 19.—A. J. Pette (colored), convicted for the murder of his wife in this city, September, 1871, was hanged yesterday.

Havana, Dec. 18.—It is reported that the Virginians will be taken to Washington and an investigation into her right to carry the American flag be held.

Santiago de Cuba, Dec. 18.—Via Havana, Dec. 19.—The surviving passengers and crew of the Virginian were delivered to-day, to Commander Braine, of the steamship Junia.

London, Dec. 19.—Wreck of the bark Sultan is reported. Twenty lives lost.

The bombardment of Cartagena was continued all day. A terrible magazine explosion occurred within the insurgent lines. Gen. Dominguez offers pardon to all who will surrender. The insurgents are still able to obtain provisions, but their communication is failing.

Toronto, Dec. 18.—William Hamilton & Son, proprietors of the Lawrence foundry, have failed. Liabilities \$200,000.

Boston, Dec. 18.—The funeral of Professor Agassiz took place to-day, at Appleton Chapel, Harvard University. The chapel was profusely decorated with floral emblems and flowers by the students. The services were extremely simple. Among those present were Vice-President Wilson, Gov. Washburn, ex-Gov. Claiborne, Oliver Wendell Holmes, Ralph Waldo Emerson and E. Reed. The church bells of Boston and Cambridge were tolled and the flags hung at half mast during the funeral.

Richmond, Dec. 18.—The annual meeting of the Chesapeake and Ohio railroad company was held to-day. Old Directors re-elected.

Raleigh, Dec. 18.—Ex-Congressman N. Edwards died to-day. Aged 80 years.

Key West, Dec. 19.—The Virginian left Tortugas last night in tow of U. S. steamer Osage.

Washington, Dec. 19.—Secretary Delano has issued a circular warning Territorial officers that unauthorized absence from their posts will be considered by the Department as equivalent to resignation of their positions.

The nomination of J. T. Stratton as Surveyor-General of California, vice Hardenberg, is confirmed.

Sacramento, Dec. 19.—Another fruitless vote was taken in joint assembly to-day. Vote stood: Booth, 55; Farley, 39; Shafter, 20.

Governor Booth offered a reward of five hundred dollars for the apprehension of the persons who murdered Mr. A. Abadie in San Bernardino county on the 16th inst.

San Francisco, Dec. 19.—Capt. Edward Higgins assumed duty as agent of the Pacific mail company in this city, and published his card to the employees stating reasons for cutting down salaries, and calling on them to be courteous and affable to all having business with the company.

Gold in New York, 11 1/2.

Greenbacks in San Francisco, 90 and 91.

Chicago, Dec. 20.—The Interior's special dispatches from Washington say that if the President does not withdraw William's name from the Chief Justiceship the Senate will refuse to confirm him.

Washington, Dec. 20.—The franking privilege has been restored, and the change is received with favor, generally.

The Senate and House of Representatives have adjourned until January 5th.

Havana, Dec. 20.—Six hundred Spanish cavalry fell into the ambush of a Cuban commander, and two hundred of them were killed and three hundred taken prisoners. The captured officers were sent to the Spanish line.

Sacramento, Dec. 20.—In joint session of the Legislature, to-day, Gov. Booth was elected to U. S. Senate for the long term, by three majorities. A ballot was taken to fill Cassady's unexpired term, but did not result in an election.

In the Senate, to-day, Oulton introduced a concurrent resolution relative to the restoration of lands reserved for the Atlantic and Pacific railroad, in the southern counties of the State. The resolution was referred to the committee on corporations.

To-day is the first really clear day since the storms.

San Francisco, Dec. 20.—The U. S. steamer Tascara has sailed for San Diego, and will sound the ocean to the Sandwich Islands and thence to Japan, for the Pacific cable.

Washington, Dec. 20.—The Senate has confirmed the following appointments: Walter Van Dyke, U. S. District Attorney for California; Edward Marcellus, U. S. Marshal for Montana; Orin Allen, Postmaster, Prescott, Arizona.

A majority of the Senators are now known to be unfavorable to the confirmation of Williams as Chief Justice.

New York, Dec. 19.—Henry W. Genet, tried for fraud—mal practices in building the Harlem court-house—was found guilty.

It is stated, authoritatively, that the transfer of the Pacific and Atlantic Telegraph to the Western Union Company was completed yesterday. By the terms of the lease, the W. U. Co., which owns three-quarters of the stock, is to pay four per cent per annum on the whole capital of \$2,000,000.

to erect a statue to Kosciuszko in Central Park.

London dispatches say that the ship America from Liverpool for New York, founded off the banks of Newfoundland. Captain and three men drowned. The remainder of the crew took boats and were out six days before they were picked up, and landed at Dartmouth, Dec. 20.

Washington, Dec. 21.—It is known in official circles that the Spanish Government has proven that the Virginian has no right to carry the American flag, consequently the ceremony of saluting our flag December 25th, will be dispensed with.

It is reported that Great Britain will demand punishment of Burnell the Cuban butcher.

A majority of the U. S. Senate are opposed to the total repeal of the bankrupt act, but favor amendments to make the law more effective and not so oppressive.

Heads of Departments commence next week receiving estimates of Government expenditures for fiscal year. Appropriations for work on fortifications, improvements on rivers and harbors will be extensively cut down.

Providence, Dec. 21.—Sprague's Manufacturing Company has secured its creditors. The mills will be run again on full time.

New York, Dec. 22.—The Spanish question is amicably settled, which has strengthened the gold market. Speculators seem disposed to pause until they see what Congress intends to do on taxation and currency questions. Government will issue forty-four millions of greenbacks. Money easy. Exchange firm. General trade movements slow.

Ro coffee cent and a half higher, sugar and molasses firm, quicksilver steady. California hides firm, tea tends upwards, wool demands falling off, manufacturers busy taking stock. Boston market for wool in good demand still tending upward.

Washington, Dec. 22.—It is decided that the Virginian had forfeited her right to carry the American flag at the time of her capture. It is rumored that Spain will demand the return of the Virginian.

Bakersfield, Cal., Dec. 22.—Jesus Blanco, ring leader of the atrocious Mission Camp massacre in Arizona, two years ago, has been captured.

San Francisco, Dec. 22.—Weather unsettled. Holiday shopping brisk to the exclusion of all else.

Gold in New York 11 1/2 @ 11 3/4.

Greenbacks in San Francisco 91 and 92.

London, Dec. 22.—The expedition to Ashantee has come to a stand still, awaiting reinforcements.

London, Dec. 22.—Four thousand besiegers will assault Cartagena next week.

A ferry-boat capsized on the Thames to-day. Thirteen persons were drowned.

Berlin, Dec. 31.—The Emperor William had a slight attack of apoplexy. Efforts are being made to conceal his real condition.

Matamoros, Dec. 21.—A riot occurred here to-day, between partisans of Juan Canales and Cortinas, the rival candidates for mayor. Eight Cortinas men were badly wounded. The federal troops held the plaza.

San Francisco, Dec. 22.—Henry Miller a prisoner in city prison is sick with small pox. The disease is increasing here.

On Christmas, Joe Daniels and Nell Flaherty will run a dash of one mile and a half at Ocean View Park, for a purse of \$200.

In Sacramento to-day the vote for Senator (short term), stood: Hogan 42; Shafter 20; Cole 10; Height 10; Downey 5; Belcher 6; Lewis 3; No choice.

Height positively declined to be a candidate.

Joint-resolutions have been adopted requesting Congress to stop the Coolie emigration.

Territorial Dispatches.

Tucson, Dec. 22.—Gov. Sanford, accompanied by the school trustees, visited the public school on Wednesday last. They were so highly pleased with the progress and management, that they had no suggestions to offer.

Board of Supervisors adjourned to meet on the 24th inst.

Weather cloudy and cold.

Yuma, Arizona, Dec. 23.—The weather is cloudy and cold with some rain yesterday and last night, but clear to-day.

Colonel Jones, Inspector-General, left on stage for San Diego, to return to San Francisco, Friday last.

The feast was concluded Sunday night. Steamer Montana arrived at Port Isabel on the 19th.

The steamer from the mouth of the river arrived this morning.

On Sunday night the 14th, Thomas Hughes, a well known Arizonan, was married to Senorita Doncella Santoyo.

The Secretary of the Interior, to whose charge is confided the welfare of the "noble red man," has made his annual report. The Secretary "gushes" in the usual way over the "untutored child of the forest," and becomes touchingly effusive in his praise of the policy of the administration toward the Indian—a policy which he speaks of as "humanity." "Humanity!" There are a thousand graves in Arizona which bear silent witness to the "humanity" of that policy. Let us be thankful that the President had sense enough to abandon his policy in time to prevent the utter desolation of the American frontier on the southwest.—[San Diego Union.]

Delano, the Secretary of the Interior, has made a recommendation which, for the pure sweetness of Christian charity, is one of the most saccharine and angelic things lately perpetrated. He suggests that, as all the tribes of Indians about the Sioux are hostile to them, if we will only furnish those tribes with improved rifles and plenty of ammunition, and some good reliable scyoping-knives, the effect will soon be to mitigate the necessity for any peace negotiations with the Sioux. On general principles we have no fault to find with his policy, but it seems a somewhat vigorous one for as pious an old soul as Delano.—[San Francisco Chronicle.]

MISCELLANEOUS.

Attention, Deserters.

WAR DEPARTMENT,
ADJUTANT GENERAL'S OFFICE,
Washington, October 10, 1873.

General Order No. 102.

The President of the United States commands it to be made known that all soldiers who have deserted their colors, and who shall, on or before the first day of January, 1874, surrender themselves at any military station, shall receive a full pardon, only forfeiting the pay and allowances due them at the time of desertion; and shall be restored to duty without trial or punishment on condition that they faithfully serve through the term of their enlistment.

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LEGAL.

Application for Patent.

U. S. LAND OFFICE,
PRESCOTT, ARIZONA, December 19, 1873.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, THAT WILLIAM A. H. Raymond, by his authorized agent and attorney, John M. Murphy, whose Postoffice address is Cerbat, Mohave County, Arizona Territory.

Has made application for a Patent for fifteen hundred (1500) linear feet of the Hope Lodge, bearing gold and silver, and designated as the Hibernian Mining Claim, the same running fifteen hundred (1500) feet in a southerly direction from point of beginning, a monument between the south boundary of the Daisy Deane Company and the north boundary of the Hibernian Company's claim, with surface ground six hundred (600) feet in width, situated in Cold Valley Mining District, County of Mohave and Territory of Arizona, and described in the plat and field notes now on file in this office, as follows, to-wit:

Commencing at a point on the south line of the Daisy Deane Company's claim, 25° 45' East from the original monument of the Daisy Deane and Hibernian claims, and S. 20° E. 8 1/2 miles distant, thence S. 25° 45' W. 1/2 mile to a high point of rock in a sharp bend of Eagle Canon, a short distance below where the ledge crosses and below the Hibernian claim, thence S. 25° 45' W. 1/2 mile to a point on the Daisy Deane claim, and 90 links to Daisy Deane monument, 445 chains across gulch to monument of Que-Lode, thence S. 25° 45' W. 1/2 mile to a point on the Daisy Deane claim, distant from a very large granite boulder in the flat, on a ridge, where the line crosses under Hibernian Peak, 23° 45' West, 204 chains, this rock lies from the summit of Hibernian Peak N. 33° 30' E. thence S. 25° 45' W. passing N. 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